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## THE WORLD OVER

AUSTRALIAN 'HOPPER MENACE'

ANCIENT CITY THOUGHT FOUND

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**SYDNEY, Australia.**—Masses of grasshoppers, the scourge of agriculture, are denuding large districts of grass crops and foliage and are even consuming hundreds of garments hanging out to dry, the government has reported. Early October indications of the coming grasshopper plague caused acute alarm throughout the country. The government then compelled farmers to co-operate in a nation-wide poisoning campaign.

**ALBUQUERQUE.**—The cultural section of ancient Carthage, teeming metropolis of the classical and early Christian world, is believed to have been uncovered by recent excavations. On a hillside which may be the spot where, according to the Latin epic, the Jewish Queen Didon cast herself into the flame at the departure of her lover-husband, Aeneas. Complete villas, fountains, streets, temples, and other records verify the vivid picture of life in the second and third centuries of the Roman and Christian eras have been dug out of the North African sands.

**OTTAWA.**—Grote Rittling, Conservative member of parliament for Yale, B.C., and Richard H. Harnett, Conservative member for York-Sunbury, were sworn in at Government House on Saturday afternoon as members of the cabinet of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett.

Mr. Rittling became minister of national defence and acting minister of fisheries, while Mr. Harnett took over the portfolio of Trade and Commerce vacated by the resignation of H. H. Stevens, member for Saint John's. Mr. Murray MacLaren, minister of pensions and national health, retired from the government and his portfolio was taken over by Hon. Donald M. Sutherland, former minister of national defence.

## ON THE BATTLE FRONT

THE ALBERTA WHEAT POOL HAS NEVER CHOSEN TO FOLLOW THE EASY WAYS OF LEAST RESISTANCE.

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## A.S. GOUGH GETS CONSERVATIVE NOMINATION IN DISTRICT (PROVINCIAL) RIDING

Alfred R. Gough was the unanimous choice as conservative candidate to contest the Didsbury riding, at the next provincial election, at the nominating convention held at Acme last Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting was held in the McInnes hall with J.W. Munro in the chair, and a large representative gathering from all parts of the constituency.

D.M. Duggan, conservative leader in the Alberta legislature addressed the meeting and is customary, predicted big things for the party.

The name of A.S. Gough was the only nomination put forward and he was elected by acclamation.

## BIG JOB PREPARING FEDERAL VOTERS LISTS

All over Canada the work of preparing a new and permanent voter list for the Dominion has been in progress and 40,000 enumerators have been employed. The remuneration is 5 cents a name to rural enumerators and 7 cents a name in the cities. The enumerators are supposed to work together in the city, bringing the cost to 14 cents a name. An allowance of \$10 is made in rural areas for the three afternoons for correcting the lists, but no such allowance is made in the cities. Printing of lists and reprinting is expected to cost about \$1,000,000. The total expense of preparing the first list under the act is expected to be about \$2,500,000. Another \$500,000 will be added to the list for salaries of permanent registrars in each electoral district. Details in connection with compilation of the new voter's list make it seem unlikely that there will be any election before next July.

Following was taken over by Hon. Donald M. Sutherland, former minister of national defence. The portfolio of fisheries has been administered by Hon. Alfred Denman, minister of marine, since Hon. E.N. Rhodes became minister of fisheries.

## Local Liberals Attend Nominating Convention

C.R. WALROD OF ROCKYFORD TO CARRY LIBERAL BANNER IN NEXT FEDERAL ELECTION

C. R. Walrod, Rockyford business man, farmer and mayor of that town, chosen Liberal candidate to contest the Bow River federal riding, at the constituency convention in the Elks' building, Calgary, last Thursday afternoon.

Obtaining a substantial majority over his two opponents on the first ballot, Mr. Walrod was declared candidate. Of the six candidates nominated, three withdrew, leaving the meeting of 164 official delegates to settle between F.A. Lount of Belstar, H.A. Wiers of Calgary, and Mr. Walrod of Rockyford.

Others nominated during the meeting were Stanley J. Edwards of Calgary, Dr. G.M. Gibson of Drumheller and C.N. Gilbert of Calgary. All three withdrew their names.

Delegates attending the Convention from Rockyford for the various polls were: Carlton J. Jax, Plains, Chris Bertsch, J.J. Greenan, Carbone J.J. Ramay, J.M. Ohlhauser, Emil J. Ohlhauser and J.J. Ohlhauser. Gumbel, N.W. Wright and Hugh Ramsey; Hephth, Jas. O'Rourke, H.M. McNaughton and Geo. Appleby; McDonald; John A. Ohlhauser, W.D. McDonald and A. Hiebert.

Preceding the nomination and balloting an election of officers for the Bow River association was held, and J. J. Greenan of Carbone was elected one of the vice-presidents.

## WHEAT NUMBER—?

The guy who did the thrashing said "I would give a Number One." But this I rather doubted as it slowly dawned on me. Then the neighbors round me gathered, and they shouted out in chorus: "It's a darned good Number 2."

On the way I met the banker, waiting hopefully for me. And after meditation he pronounced it Number Three; So getting quite impatient I departed on the run. And by attacking past some other guy's elevator won.

There the buyer looked it over, put a handful in his cheek. Spat it out across the driveway and to me did kindly speak: "You fear, of that I'm certain, better ship it right away. For I wouldn't care to buy it as the Market's down today."

So I told him just to ship it to the East or to the West. To Timbuctoo or Ballyhoo, where ever it seemed the best: Then I sat me down in patience to wait that joyful day When for all my earnest labors I'd receive a little pay.

Soon there came a tiny mistlebeef by the early morning mail. And I staggered in my anger ere I lay me down to wait— But that creature was a creature who could use a farmer rough. For in his utter blindness, he did make it Fly and Tough.

Wrathful at the fierce injustice, I did claim: And I vowed my Sunday to spend to provide the cost of same. Came the answer in a fortnight, raising me within my camp.

For I faltered when I read it: "Re-inspection—Six and Dime." —by T. Longbottom, in Bascom Mail

## JAPAN TURN DOWN COMPROMISE

LONDON.—Ambassador Tameo Matsuda of Japan on Monday, on behalf of his government, rejected the British suggestion for a compromise in the proposed naval treaty.

The ambassador told Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, Japan could not accept the British offer of a treaty which would recognize only equality in principle for Japan while the right to equality in actual tonnage.

At the same time, Matsuda urged that Great Britain consider new ways of approaching a compromise which would recognize Japanese equality.

## ALBERTA'S FIRST LIVESTOCK MARKETING BOARD

Personnel of Alberta's first livestock marketing board under the Natural Products Marketing Act was announced Saturday afternoon by Hon. F. R. Grisdale, Minister of Agriculture. The board, consisting of 15 members was named by the minister at the request of representatives of the livestock industry in general meeting in Calgary November 8th, following the endorsing of a live stock marketing plan for the province.

The marketing plan has been submitted to the Federal Marketing board at Ottawa, and when it is approved by this body, ratified by the Governor-in-Council, and finally endorsed by vote of Alberta live stock producers. It will be the responsibility of the board now named to determine, within the provisions of the marketing scheme, the marketing of live stock, and to coordinate the marketing machinery.

Work of drafting the marketing scheme and submitting it to the live stock industry for approval was undertaken by a provisional live stock marketing committee of 17 members. Several of these members have been named to the board by the minister. In making his announcement on Saturday, however, Mr. Grisdale stated that in naming the board it had been found necessary to go outside the personnel of the provisional committee in order that the various areas of the province and the many branches of the industry be as fully as possible represented.

It is understood that in the forwarding of the work until such time as an order in council is signed denoting the marketing scheme effective, the newly named board and the provisional committee will go into joint session. At the expiration of the first year of operation of the Alberta marketing plan the provincial board will be elected by direct vote of the live stock producers.

## MARKET FOR LOW GRADE WHEAT

Nearly a million bushels of Canadian wheat were shipped into Duluth and Superior last week. Most of this was Amber Durum but large quantities of low grade wheat are also going into the States for feeding purposes, in fact quite a premium exists at Port William for low grade compared with Vancouver due to the demand from the United States. The lower grades of Canadian wheat are not in competition with Argentine wheat, but so far little overseas demand has arisen. The United States has reduced the duty on imports of wheat unit for human consumption to a basis of 10 per cent ad valorem or approximately 4 cents per bushel as compared to the usual duty of 42 cents per bushel. No. 4 and feed wheat are considered unit for milling and can thus be imported into U.S.A. at the reduced duty.

## A PERSON'S LIFE

A person's life is not made up of one thing. We can't work, play, sleep, or eat all the time. It's the proper balance of these things that make life worth living. The housewife who "knows nothing but work" or the man who keeps his nose continually to the grindstone are grown-up replicas of the girls and boys who are also victims of the obsession that one particular thing is worthy of all their interests.

It is a tragedy whenever people of all ages get the wrong slant on life. Unfortunately, this is all too common. It may not always show itself in throwing themselves in front of a train, but it shows itself nevertheless. Practically every person in our insane age—and the number is constantly increasing—has some let obsession (black of his mind). It is a disease as fertile soil until they became unbalanced. They were no longer able to see life rationally. A great many young people are similarly afflicted, and the tragedy is that this incipient disease will grow and grow until they are wrecked, either mentally, morally or physically.

To give children the proper slant on life is one of the most important duties placed upon their parents and their teachers.—Hanover Post.

## WILL BUY 50,000 POUNDS OF ALBERTA BEEF

EDMONTON.—With a view to relieving the extremely critical beef market, the Alberta Relief Commission will purchase 50,000 pounds of beef, according to an announcement made on Monday by authority of Hon. F. R. Grisdale, Minister of Agriculture. The commission proposes that 20,000 pounds of the amount to be purchased will be used in the various food depots and unemployed camps in Edmonton and that 30,000 pounds will be similarly used at Calgary. The meat is to be purchased by tender through ordinary channels of trade.

## CARD OF THANKS

George Appleby and family wish to thank the many friends for their kind sympathy and floral tributes received during the recent bereavement occasioned by the death of Richard Paul.

## MRS. PURDY DIES SATURDAY AT GRANDE PRATRIE

Word was received in Carbon the first of the week that Mrs. Purdy, wife of Sgt. R.H. Purdy, former R.C.M.P. officer stationed at Carbon, had died in Grande Prairie after a week's illness from an ailment.

Mrs. Jean Hopper Craig Purdy was 31 years of age at the time of her death and besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Thelma, 15 years of age; 2 sisters, Mrs. Jesse Craig of Calgary, and Mrs. G. Sniley of Drumheller.

## BIRTHS

SKIRRY.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skerry, of Carbon, on Thursday, November 15th, twins, a boy and a girl.

SMITH.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Carbon, a girl, on November 15th, 1934.



## 12. SOME CANADIAN TRAPSHOOTERS

HERE are a few personalities amongst trapshooters on the Pacific Coast, which will be of interest to you.

True Oliver, Ladner, has quite a record as a clay-buster, having won the B.C. Championship on seven recent occasions: 1927, 1930, 1931, 1934, 1935, 1937 and 1938. True was one of the first live members of the Amateur Trapshooters' Association and was a member of the Canadian Olympic Team Shooting at Antwerp, Belgium, in 1920. In 1925 he captured the title with a score of 192 in the 112 straight line. In 1926 he won the title with a score of 97 x 100 in the 16-yard line. He represented B.C. at the Grand American Handicap shoot held in Chicago in 1921 and in the Champion of Champions' match broke 194 x 200, breaking his first 112 straight.

C. W. (Bill) McLean won the B.C. Championship in 1928 with 193 x 200 and the all-around Championship with 330 x 350 and was runner-up in the doubles with 44 x 50. He also captured the title in 1929 with 191 x 200 and was runner-up in the doubles with 45 x 50 and in the all-around with 328 x 350. In 1930 he won the Vancouver trophy with 95 x 100 shooting from the 16-yard mark and in 1935 won the handicap from 20 yards with a perfect score, 25 x 25. Bill also

has won the city championship on three occasions, 1930, 1931 and 1933.

D. V. (Doug) McGary of Victoria has won a few recordings, won the B.C. Singles Championship in 1930 with 192 x 200 and the all-around Championship with 230 x 250. In 1932, he won the Singles Championship with 98 x 150, winning from his team-mate, John Wenger, after a shoot-off. Doug making a possible 25 against John's 24. In 1934 he won the State Championship in the Pacific Coast with 45 x 50. In 1932, he won the State Championship of the Pacific Coast with a score of 394 x 400, the all-around Championship of the Pacific Coast and was second in the World's Championship Shoot at Los Angeles with 198 x 200. He has won the Vancouver Island Championship on two different occasions and has won trophies to fill a good-sized room.

If you have clipped and kept the preceding eleven articles in this series, you have now a fair outline of Sket, the sport that is so rapidly gaining ground here, a number of clubs, a list of the best shooters from coast to coast. Further information will gladly be sent to you upon application to "Dominion Marksmen," Box 1760, Montreal, P.Q.

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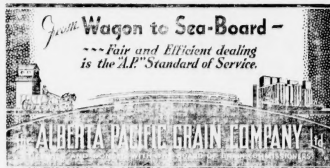
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the service.Mrs. Jas Smith left on Sunday for  
Edmonton, where she will spend the  
week.Mr. and Mrs. Kelly and family re-  
turned to Carbon last week after  
spending the summer near Oids, and  
will again make their home here.Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Johnson motored  
to Red Deer on Sunday last.Jae. Paves left on Monday to spend  
the winter with his parents in the Old  
Country.Mr. and Mrs. Len Poxon spent Mon-  
day in Calgary.Mr. and Mrs. E. Solens of Carleton  
spent the week end at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Nash.Rev. Wm. McNichol spent Friday  
and Saturday of last week in Calgary.Old Times' are asked not to forget  
they cannot and should not be held in  
the Farmers' Exchange hall on Friday  
(tomorrow) night. Banquet starts at  
7:00 p.m.Hugh Ramsey is spending a few  
days visiting with relatives in Edmon-  
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bid on the posters. Local merchants  
have seemed to forget that if they  
expect citizens to buy at home instead  
of from the mail order houses and  
outside concerns that they must do  
the same.

Winter is here with all its pomp and  
glory and the usual mantle of snow.  
Saturday morning citizens awoke to  
find the ground covered with snow  
and colder weather has followed, dis-  
temperatures dropping to six below on  
Tuesday night. The days are bright  
clear now, but all indications point to  
the beginning of winter, as a result  
both curing and slating enthusiasts  
are beginning to show signs of activity  
and Sherry Bernart is all ready to  
begin his making at the local skating  
rink.

In the United States, a half million  
matches are struck every minute, save  
a recent snow dipstick. Liberties pro-  
bably are limited at the rate of two  
million a minute, and what a loss to  
the once prosperous match kings.

Bo: "Anybody would think that I  
was nothing but a cook in this house."  
Her: "Not after eating a meal here."

Bo: "If I had a million dollars do  
you know where I'd be?"  
Girl: "Yes. You'd be on your hon-  
ey-moon."

Kathryn: Jack Higgins just fell at  
my feet the moment he saw me.  
Kathryn: Stumbled over them, I sup-  
pose.

They met after ten or more years.  
"Has your wife kept her charming  
figure?"  
"Kept it? She has doubled it."

A hen is not supposed to have much  
common sense or tact.  
Yet every time she lays an egg she  
cackles forth the fact.  
The watchmen bark, and gamblers  
sneak, and doctors and physicians too.  
The research spreads his tail and  
searches, please animal and refine since.  
And even servants know enough to  
kiss before they sting.  
But mind, the sweetest underpinning  
that Nature could devise,  
Will often stop and hesitate before  
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